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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12, 1855.

It is but seldom that we are fortunate enough to sit down to such a splendid repast as that provided last night by Dr. Holmes in his lecture on the poet Wordsworth. In view of the fact that the Doctor had chosen "The Excursionist" as the subject of his first lecture, we imagined that his idea of Wordsworth's poetry was more exalted than our own; but the masterly style in which he proceeded to analyze the voluminous works of the poet, enabled us soon to discover our mistake, and to find out that in criticism as in poetry the lecturer was entitled fully to the exalted reputation he enjoys.

Although many among his large audience were inclined to think Wordsworth "dry and uninteresting" and we confess ourselves as among the number—there can be but one opinion as to the excellence of "Holmes on Wordsworth." The poetry, wit, and eloquence of the talented lecturer are too widely known to require notice from us; but, notwithstanding his reputation in these particulars, we confess we were unprepared for such a masterly exposition of them as his subject called forth last night.

The graceful tribute which he paid to "Woman's Worth," in allusion to an error in the Journal in calling attention to the lecture, and his own beautiful lines, with which he concluded his discourse, drew down, as they deserved, the marked approbation and applause of his delighted audience.

To-morrow night, the Doctor gives his second lecture on "Moore and Byron;" and as both the lecturer and the poets are the prime favorites of this generation the Church will doubtless be crowded.

A DISPENSARY.—A few philanthropic gentlemen have contributed the funds necessary for the establishment of a dispensary; and, by reference to an advertisement in another column, it will be seen that they propose opening this much needed charity on Thursday morning, in the building hitherto used by the pupils of the Institution for the Blind as a manufactory, situated on Seventh street, between Walnut and Chestnut. The single object proposed by the managers of the dispensary is to afford medical advice and medicines gratuitously to the indigent sick, of whom our city just now contains a very large number. Two physicians have kindly consented to take charge of the institution and repair there daily, at regular hours, for the purpose of examining and prescribing for all sick persons who may present themselves. Arrangements have been made with a competent druggist, who will furnish all the medicines required, looking to the managers alone for his remuneration.

We feel that we cannot too highly commend this dispensary to all sick persons, who, from the general depression of the times, or misfortune, or any other circumstances, are unable to command good medical attention or purchase the necessary remedies.

The Eastern mail was a total failure last evening—the cars on the Ohio and Mississippi railroad having failed to connect at Seymour with the train of the Jeffersonville railroad.

P. S.—We learn from the Messenger of Adams & Co.'s Express, to whom we are indebted for Cincinnati papers, that a spring of the locomotive on yesterday morning's train for Cincinnati was broken, which caused the machine to run off the track. After a delay of 45 minutes the train was able to proceed.

Louis Napoleon has been doing the sweet to Victoria, kissing her on both cheeks—leaving the British Queen nothing further to present him for salute.—*New York Express.*

Why where are her dear Majesty's lips? When France's ex-loafer was kissing her first upon one cheek and then upon the other, hadn't he the courage and the good taste to pause for an all-blissful moment half-way between the two?

A correspondent of the St. Louis Democrat, writing from Westport, Mo., under date of the 31st ult., announces the arrival of Governor Shannon there. He was received by Stringfellow and other members of the Kansas Legislature. He made an address subsequently, in which he approved all the acts of the Legislature, and avowed himself in favor of the establishment of slavery in Kansas.

ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF THE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—It will be seen from an advertisement that the annual exhibition of the Horticultural Society will commence on Tuesday next and continue for three days. It will doubtless be the finest that has ever taken place. The exhibition will be held at the hall of the Mechanics' Institute, corner of Walnut and Second streets.

Mr. Enoch Everett, a respectable citizen of Mobile, was drowned on the 4th inst.

RIVER AND STEAMBOAT MATTERS.

The river was still falling yesterday. Last evening there were 7 feet 10 inches water in the canal, 4 feet 8 inches over the rocks, and 5½ feet in the pass on the falls. We had a slight shower last evening and the weather continued to have the appearance of more rain.

The St. Louis Republican, or Monday, says:

The river at this point is rising slowly, with 7 feet in the channel to Cairo. The Illinois is at a stand, with 3 feet to Lasalle. The last report from the Lower rapids was 20 inches—not navigable except for very small craft. The Missouri river is reported at 4 feet in the channel to St. Joseph.

The Northerner, a very fine boat, is the packet for St. Louis. We are indebted to her attentive clerks for favors. The N. will also take passengers for New Orleans, and transfer them to Cairo to the mammoth steamer Republic.

The elegant steamer Wm. Garvin leaves for Henderson this evening.

The Blue Wing leaves for the Kentucky river this evening and the Harrison Bridges for Green river.

The Fanny Bullitt was at Memphis yesterday. She is expected to arrive on Friday and will leave for New Orleans on Monday.

The Tishomingo is expected to arrive from Memphis this evening.

The Yorktown will be down from Pittsburgh this morning and return to that port this evening.

The steamer Jane Franklin leaves for Wheeling this evening.

The steamer Antelope took on board at Evansville 600 barrels of flour and 87 hogsheads of tobacco—the last on the wharf. She had also, among other freight, 10,000 heads of cabbage, and was towing two barges.

Howard & Brown's wharfboat, which was aground opposite Evansville, has been floated off by the recent rise in the river.

A magnificent new boat, called the New World, has just been constructed at New York for the North river. She is 370 feet long, 48 feet in beam—80 feet over all—and 10½ feet in depth. Her wheels are 46 feet, with a face of 11 feet. The engine has a cylinder 76 inches in circumference and a stroke of 15 feet. She can accommodate 1,000 passengers, and carry 250 tons of freight. She has 540 state-rooms and 100 open berths, in all 800 berths! There are 32 family rooms, 4 large club rooms, and one elegant bridal chamber.

Mr. R. H. Waggoner has presented to us some samples of the American apple from the orchard of Dr. Jno. S. Scofield in Shelby county. They are most excellent fruit and taste none the less sweet because they are called American.

The Lexington (Mo.) Citizen says that recent storms in that section have done much damage to hemp, wheat, and corn.

THE MEETING LAST NIGHT IN BEHALF OF THE NORFOLK SUFFERERS.—We publish below the proceedings of a meeting held at the Court House last night, pursuant to a call signed by a number of our most respectable merchants, to provide means for the relief of the suffering population of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. These lately populous and thriving cities of the hospitable Old Dominion have been completely devastated by the fearful ravages of a plague. Hundreds have died daily. All who were able to leave have fled, but thousands remain, from affection or charity for the sick, or from want of means to reach a more healthful abode. All business is suspended. The stores and banks are closed, the workshops are idle. Hundreds of families who never before knew what it was to want are without the actual necessities of life. The living are scarcely able to bury the dead.

Nearly all the principal cities in the Union have contributed their quota for the relief of these sufferers. We are sure that the charity of our citizens will be promptly manifested in this cause, and the committees for collection will receive liberal contributions from those upon whom they may call.

At a meeting held at the Court House on Tuesday night to take steps for the relief of the suffering at Norfolk and Portsmouth—

On motion Capt. T. C. Coleman was called to the chair and Will. Watkins appointed Secretary.

T. W. Riley, Esq., offered the following resolutions:

1. That the Chair appoint three persons from each ward in the city and two in the town of Portland to solicit contributions for the sufferers at Norfolk and Portsmouth.

2. That said persons be requested to meet at the Mayor's office on the 13th, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to organize and take such measures as may be deemed by them necessary.

3. That all collections made be paid over to the Mayor that he may remit to the proper authorities at Norfolk and Portsmouth.

The Chair appointed the following persons:

1st Ward—G. W. Dunlap, John Lyon, and Moore.

2d Ward—Capt. J. R. Hamilton, Jacob Smith, and Sanders Shanks.

3d Ward—T. L. Jefferson, Curran Pope, and S. L. Lithgow.

4th Ward—Col. W. Duerson, Warren Mitchell, and A. B. Semple.

5th Ward—W. B. Belknap, J. W. Kalfus, and W. F. Pettit.

6th Ward—James Bridgford, Thomas M. Hicks, and S. Cassaday.

7th Ward—Rev. Mr. Heywood, W. C. Hite, and Andrew Graham.

8th Ward—C. D. Pennebaker, Thomas D. Howard, and Rev. Mr. Gates.

Portland—Rev. Mr. Tydings and W. S. Butterfield.

On motion the city papers be requested to publish the proceedings.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

T. C. COLEMAN, Pres.

WILL. WATKINS, Sec'y.

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EVENING BULLETIN.

[For the Louisville Journal.]

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH,
N. E. corner of Walnut and Fourth streets,
Louisville, on the death of Dr. SPENCER CONE,
of New York city, President of the American
Bible Union.

The writer of the letter to the Hebrews presents to the consideration of the Saints in Christ Jesus, for their remembrance and affection, the long line of illustrious individuals who had gained distinction in the fields of Godly faith and obedience. They are passed in review as examples worthy of remembrance, and as possessors of virtues which we are to imitate; as workers of righteousness who should excite our emulation. The teacher of the Hebrews brought forward only those who had been faithful under the old covenant, and he said that time would fail him in even enumerating these. The cloud of witnesses which then encompassed the saints in Christ Jesus has largely increased since that time. It has spread until it has nearly covered the earth, and every age of God's new dispensation has added to its increase and its power. Christianity has its names of renown in faith, who are worthy of the esteem, love, and reverence of all to whom Christian truth is dear. And among these objects of affection the memory of Dr. Spencer Cone, of New York city, stands conspicuous. According to the measure of the light Dr. Cone possessed, he faithfully and fearlessly walked in the truth of the New Testament, following wherever he believed it led him regardless of all personal consequences.

For the space of forty years he was a bright and shining light among our Baptist brethren; and, although he had attained the highest positions among his brethren, though he was honored as one of the most faithful and eloquent teachers of Christianity, though he was eminent for piety, learning, and zeal, he was a willing learner in the school of Christ up to his dying hour. Seventy years of pupilage in that school found him at their close still an humble, zealous, honest, and faithful searcher after truth. God had given him an ample stewardship of talents, and faithfully did he perform his duties toward his fellow-men in disburthening his gifts by teaching, as to the only righteousness that is acceptable to God, obedience to all the mandates, precepts, and principles taught by Jesus Christ.

In old age, at the point where men are usually satisfied with the attainments of their ambition, Brother Cone was aroused to the fact that the word of God is not presented in our common version, nor in any of those versions for which it has been made to act as a standard, in the terms uttered by the Holy Spirit. He felt that it was a grievous evil that there should be one Bible for the learned and another, differing materially, for the unlearned. He nobly determined to strike down this enormous wrong. He turned his back upon all the high honors he had won, upon all the favors and reverence that had been bestowed upon him for his services in the cause of that evil which he had unwittingly sustained; and, with a pure heart and a self-sacrificing spirit, he earnestly, honestly, and zealously commenced his noble labors. Old age had found him just awaking to this solemn, this sacred duty, but such was his energy, his vigor, his zeal, and his power of concentration, that he seemed to renew his youth, and he labored as though he was resolved to redeem the time that had been lost.

When Dr. Cone first recognized these duties he clearly foresaw the floods of calumny, the bitter persecution, the unrelenting war that were to be his doom. But against the floods he stood—

"Firm as the surge-repelling rock."

The storm had no peril that he feared to meet, and the war had no power that he was not ready to confront. When he recognized it to be his duty to advocate the immortal truth that the ideas of the Holy Spirit should be transferred from the original language into all other languages by terms in each of those languages that most plainly, clearly, and palpably express the ideas of the spirit of God, Dr. Cone girded on the heavenly armor, fought the good fight valiantly, faithfully, and successfully, and he died upon the field in full harness, in the seventy-first year of his age. At the time of his death he was the president of the American Bible Union for the revision of the Holy Scriptures. For the advancement of that cause he labored zealously and understandingly; he liberally enriched the library of the American Bible Union by the gift of many rare and recondite books; his able counsels were always ready for the uses of the cause, and in every possible way he was efficient in service. The excellence of his labors is recognized over America and Europe, and wherever they are known, they are honored and reverenced by all who value the pure truth of God's holy word.

The phases of humanity are accurately marked in the virtues which they recognize as worthy of honor and remembrance. The savage savages the barbarous prowess of his chief; a warlike people honor the destroyers of men; philosophers and men of science honor the votaries of their departments; but the Christian, true to the guidance of that spirit which frees him from all trammels and leads him into all truth, recognizes faithful obedience to the entire word of God, as the only virtue entitled to his honor, remembrance, and love. Paul recognized a propriety in the conduct of the Philippians in "boasting of him in Christ Jesus." And we may, therefore, boast to-day of one who knew no righteousness save that which belongs to obedience to the word of God, no terms of salvation except those proclaimed in the New Testament, and who taught and practiced the truth that every jot and tittle of the word of Jesus Christ is essential to the happiness and security of the saved. And so carefully did Dr. Cone cultivate his faith that it continued to grow until his dying hour, so that he who loved the truth, who believed and obeyed the Redeemer of men, and confidently trusted in the promises of Him who is to judge the living and the dead, was enabled to go on his way to death rejoicing in the light of immortality, and be sank to rest on the sure foundation of the Christian resurrection.

We feel, therefore, that in honoring the memory of Dr. Spencer Cone we are doing no more than justice to our own advancement in Christian truth and enlightenment in the Holy Spirit. His devotion to Christianity, his fidelity to its bests, his unflinching sense of duty under the gospel of Christ, and his earnest labors to induce all men to obey that gospel upon its own pure and simple terms, entitle him to live in the memory of all who themselves are devoted to those aims of life thus recognized as the highest that a mortal can know.

And in full view of the duties, privileges, and prophecies which pertain to us as members of the body of Jesus Christ, to render honor to whatever things are true, whatever things are venerable, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are benevolent, whatever things are of good fame, and to any other virtue to which praise is due, be it

Resolved, That we fondly and affectionately cherish the memory of the Christian graces, the unwavering piety, and the self-sacrificing spirit of duty which characterized the Christian life of Dr. Spencer Cone.

2d. That we extend our sincere condolences

to the First Baptist Church of New York city, and to all everywhere who faithfully preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace, and who recognize one body and spirit, one hope of their calling, one Lord, one faith, one immersion, one God and Father of all, who is over all and with all and in all the "faithful," in the affliction that Christian truth has sustained in the death of Dr. Spencer Cone.

3d. That we sincerely mourn with the members of the American Bible Union and with all the friends of the revision of the English Bible, and of the faithful translation of God's word into all languages, in the severe loss which this holy cause has sustained in the death of the President of the American Bible Union.

4th. That a copy of these proceedings be forwarded to Bro. W. H. Wyckoff, Corresponding Secretary of the American Bible Union, and to Bros. T. T. Devan, Ely Kelly, and Sylvester Pier, of the First Baptist Church, Broome Street, New York city, with requests that those brethren present them to the official bodies named in this resolution.

5th. That these proceedings be spread upon the record book of this congregation.

6th. That we respectfully request the Publication Committee of the Western Recorder, the editors of the daily papers of this city, and of the Christian Age, at Cincinnati, to publish these proceedings.

T. S. BELL,
JOHN CARR,
JOHN PATTERSON,
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By M. F. MAURY, LL. D., Lient. U. S. N.

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